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PREFACE

During the Second World War the German Signal Intelligence Control Center of the Staff of the Chief of Army Signal Service (HNW, LNA) issued a series of reports to show the USSR military-economic situation as reflected in Russian internal plain language traffic. These reports appeared at short, irregular intervals, usually six per month, for the period October 1942-March 1945. Figh Staree of these reports have been translated and issued by

It is planned to issue a complete set of translations of the reports, beginning with the most recent and white backward, but omitting those already translated by The numbering of the items was added by the translator and this only in the last eighteen reports, inclusive. Since the original material was in Russian, an effort has been made when translating the German to determine the original Russian term wherever possible. This is fa-

an effort has been made when translating the German to determine the original Russian term wherever possible. This is facilitated by the Russian fondness for abbreviations. In these translations into English the probable meaning of the abbreviation will be given in parenthesis the first time it occurs in each report.

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17 September 1943

The Soviet Union

Military-Economic Report 6/9

(Based on Domestic Radio Traffic)

Individual Messages

1. FOOD SITUATION

- (1) For lack of seed grain, 885 hectares in Krasnodar Kraj were sown with rice in 1943. For 1944, 1350 tons of rice seed were necessary for sowing 9000 hectares. Because of the small rice harvest, the entire supply is to be used for seed.
- (2) Korenovskaya (not located) reports a harvest of 81,567 tons of sugar-beets from 7,791 hectares, which is 10.5 tons per hectare.
- (3) In Georgia the manufacture of salad-oil from peachstones was begun. The stones are delivered from the canning factories in great numbers.
- (4) According to plan, the Milling Trust in Rostov on the Don is to produce 6000 tons of meal and 6000 tons of millet in September.
- (5) Because of shipping difficulties, the Transcaucasian Meat and Dairy Products

 Sales in Erevan has refused the sale of sausage. Because of this, the production of sausage

 in Erevan was discontinued on 28 August and there is danger that the yearly production program

 cannot be fulfilled. Erevan requests the sale of a monthly production in the amount of 120 tons

 of smoked sausage be guaranteed.
 - (6) In Rostov on the Don the following was procured as of 5 September:

	Potatoes	Vegetables
For the Southern Front	331 tons	8, 274 tons
For the Southwestern Front	149 tons	1. 161 tons

- (7) Gorkij NKRF and Zvenigovo-NKRF are not fulfilling the hay procurement plan.
- (8) The mushroom procurement plan was not fulfilled by Blagoveshchensk, Khabarovsk, Yakutsk, Kujbyshev, and Surazhevka.
- (9) In Gorodets and Raznezh e too few potatoes and vegetables have been stored for the winter. The CD for the River Fleet in Moscow is sending a sharp reprimand on account of this.

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- (10) Makhachkala, Dagestan, NK for Trade has pickled 28 tons of cucumbers, 12 tons of tomatoes, and 6 tons of cabbage as of 1 September.
- (11) Zvenigovo-NKRF is receiving no authorizations for fodder grain. It is itself to procure fodder grain on the spot.
- (12) On the basis of an order of "Gulag" (CD for Camps) of the NKVD, non-adult camp inmates receive 700 grams of vegetables per day.
- (13) Because of insufficient delivery of freight cars by the Voroshilov Railroad, great difficulties have arisen in Rostov in supplying the population with bread. During the first 9 days of September 298 freight cars were to be furnished, but only 74 were furnished.
- (14) The Fish Sales in Stalingrad has not accomplished the planned shipment of 100 tons of fish products to Krasnodar. Up to 5 September only 10 tons were shipped, so that supplying the coal-miners is not guaranteed.
- (15) Ashkhabad Grain Procurement may use 300 tons of meal in September instead of the allocated groats. As of 25 August, the Grain Procurement in Ashkhabad had a supply of 27,600 tons of grain. According to plan, 13,300 tons of this amount are to be stored.
 - (16) In Krasnodar 140 tons of fish were caught up to 1 September.
- (17) In connection with the return of evacuated livestock to the Stavropol and Rostov Oblasti, as of 31 August, there were brought over from Azerbajdzhan to Stavropol Oblast' 1,916 horses, 5,387 cattle, and 12,073 sheep.
 - (18) The combine "Rostov-Coal" requires for fattening purposes an allocation of

500 hogs

(from Saratov)

1000 sheep and

- 200 cows
- (19) The Rostov Vegetable Procurement has as of 10 September, placed 2, 917 tons of vegetables and 253 tons of potatoes at the disposal of military units. The collective farms have delivered in addition 600 tons of vegetables to the military authorities.
- (20) The Distillery in Gudko-Limansk was to manufacture 80,000 liters of alcohol in August. Total proceeds were 32,800 rubles.

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FOOD

AUTHORIZATIONS

	Consignee	Quantity	Type	Consignor	Remarks
(21)	Kabardino- Balkar Republic	2000 tons	Winter wheat	Dagestan	For seed
(22)	Gorkij Milling Sales	5000	Barley	Krasnodar, Grain Procurement	purposes
(23)	Baku, Nickel- Cobalt Supply	1.5	Fodder grain	Baku, Grain Pro- curement	In Sept.
(24)	Baku, Geological Directorate of Azerbajdzhan	1	Fodder grain	Baku, Grain Pro- curement	In Sept.
(25)	Krasnodar, Grain Procurement	15	Fodder grain	•••	According to plan in Sept. pro- vided for trade
(26)	Krasnodar, Caucasian Alcohol Trust	6	Fodder grain	Krasnodar, Grain Procurement	In Sept.
(27)	Krasnodar, ''Yajtso''	13	Fodder grain	Krasnodar, Grain Procurement	Additional for trans- port of poultry to the libera-
(28)	Krasnodar, Military Reconstruction Direc- torate		Fodder grain	Krasnodar, Grain Procurement	ted oblast [†] In Sept.
(29)	Krasnodar, Oblast' Directorate for the Silk Industry	1	Fodder grain	Krasnodar, Grain Procurement	~ 0 B
(30)	Rostov, "Rostov	140	Fodder grain	Rostov, Grain Pro-	In Sept.
(31)	Rostov, Oblast [†] Fuel Supply	3	Fodder grain	Rostov, Grain Pro-	In Sept.
(32)	Tiflis, 'Tsentrolit'' of the Machine Build- ing Industry	0.5	Fodder grain	Tiflis, Grain Pro- curement	In Sept.
(33)	Chief Directorate for Canning	5	Fodder grain	Krasnodar, Grain Procurement	In Sept.
(34)	Chief Directorate for Tobacco	6	Fodder grain	Krasnodar, Grain Procurement	In Sept.
(35)	Chief Directorate for Consumers' Goods (?)	0.5	Fodder grain	Krasnodar, Grain Procurement	In Sept.
(36)	NK for Land De- fense	27	Fodder grain	Krasnodar, Grain Procurement	For mili- tary con- struction purposes
(37)	NK for Land De- fense	19	Fodder grain	Rostoy, Grain Pro-	11
(38)	NK for Land De- fense	51	Fodder grain	Voroshilovgrad, Grain Procurement	11

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	Consignee	Quantity	Туре	Consignor	Remarks
(39)	Krasnodar, Grain Procurement	200 tons	Grain scraps		According to plan, for trade in Sept.
(40)	Ubinskaya, Krasno- dar Kraj, Timber Combine	5	11	Krasnodar, Grain Procurement	In Sept.
(41)	C.D. for Canned Goods	2	11	. 11	··· ti
(42)	C.D. for Tobacco	5	, 11	ħf	11
(43)	C.D. for Oil	1	11	· 11	1. 11
(44)	C.D. for Wine	1	11	H	**
(45)	C.D. for Consumers'	0.5	; 11	· #t	* 11
\ /	Goods (?)				
(46)	Krasnodar, Grain	100	Bran		According
(10)	Procurement	100	Dian		According
	1 Tocarement				to plan, for
					trade in
(47)	Krasnadar City	3	Maal	:	Sept.
(47)	Krasnodar, City Dairy		Meal		In Sept.
(48)	Krasnodar, Meat Trust	1	Meal		In Sept.
(49)	Voronezh, NKVD Unit 202	80	Potatoes	Voroshilovgrad	
(50)	Middle-Asian Mili- tary Okrug, Red Army Supply Direc- torate	435	Pickled cucumbers and tomatoes	Ashkhabad	In Sept.
(51)	Caucasian Front, Supply Directorate	400	11	Baku, NK for Trade	, и
(52)	Krasnodar Kraj, "Sovkhozes"	2000	Oil cakes	Krasnodar, Directorate for Oil & Fat	11
(53)	Rostov, Oblast ^a Trade Department	400	Sunflowers		Allotment instead of oil
(54)	Ordzhonikidze Rail- road	6.5	Vegetable Fat	Armavir, Oil Factory	In Sept.
(55)	Voroshilov Railroad	5.5	Vegetable fat	,tt	11
(56)	Hospitals	160	Milk	Rostov, Butter	Above-plan
(57)	Khar'kov Oblast'	1600	Breeding fowls	Industry Krasnodar Kraj, Livestock Procure- ment	In Sept.
(58)	Voroshilovgrad Oblast [†]	3200	н .	Rostov Oblast [†] Live- stock Procurement	11,
(59)	Ejsk, Navy Canteen	40	Salt	Nizhnij-Baskunchak	From 15- to 20 Sept.

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	Consignee	Quantity	Type	Consignor	Remarks
(60)	Makhachkala	8 tons	Essence of vine- gar	Astrakhan	
(61)	Turkmen	5 tank cars	Spirits	Kujbyshev Alcohol Trust	In Sept.
(62)	Caspian Sea Steamship Agency	2 car loads	Dry Wine	Tiflis, Champagne Combine	
(63)	Shakhty, Rostov- Coal	15 tons	Tobacco	Rostov, Chief Di- rectorate for Tobacco	In Sept.

2. OIL SUPPLY

- (64) Kamust'e is directed to deliver motor fuel to motor ships only in the most pressing cases and then only in small quantities.
- (65) The Azov-Black Sea Electric Power Directorate in Rostov on the Don requires
 3 tons of linseed-oil for the electrical plants which belong to the local combine "Rabochij" and
 are being reconstructed.
- (66) Krasnodar Oil Sales has 1642 tons of motor oil to deliver in September. According to plan, a delivery of 420 tons was anticipated.
- (67) The mills in Prokhladnaya, Kabardino-Balkar ASSR, are idle because of the lack of fuel. The following are needed:

15	tons	Oil
1	ton	Machine Oil
3	tons	Viscosine
1	ton	Gasoline

(68) In the third quarter 214 tons of ligroin were needed for the Machine-Tractor Stations in Makhachkala. The authorized 110 tons are used up, so that an additional allotment of about 100 tons is needed.

REQUISITIONS

	Consignee	Quantity	Type	Consignor	Remarks
(69)	Krasnodar,	100 tons	Petroleum	*	For illumi-
	Tobacco Oblast ¹				nation
(70)	Krapotkino, Grain	3	Gasoline	a & o	
	Procurement				
(71)	Armavir NKVD	20	Gasoline	8 0 9	For com-
					pletion of
					a POW
		•			camp

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Type

Consignor

Remarks

Quantity

Consignee

(72)	Novocherkassk, Electrical Plant	6 tons	Oil		
		AUT	HORIZATIO	<u>ons</u>	
(73)	Consignee Lermentovskij,	Quantity 40 tons	Type Mazut	Consignor Groznyj, Oil Supply	Remarks
1741	Lime Factory	400.4	3.6	N. 1 . NITED TO	
(74) (75)	Ufa-Derbeshka Khar'kov	400 tons 80	Mazut Oil	Molotov NKRF	
(76)	Krapotkino, Oil	63	Oil	Groznyj, Oil Supply Krasnodar	
()	Factory		OII	111 a shoda i	
(77)	Krasnodar Kraj, Electrical Plant	650	Oil	Krasnodar, Oil Supply	
(78)	Krasnodar, Azov- Black Sea Fish In- dustry	50	Oil		For Sept.
(79)	Rostov on the Don Fish Industry	70 tons	Oil		For Sept.
(8 0)	Tiflis, Fish Indus- try	30	Oil		For Sept.
(81)	Krasnodar, Fish Industry	6	Diesel oil		For Sept.
(82)	Rostov on the Don Fish Industry	8	Diesel oil		For Sept.
(83)	Tiflis, Fish Indus- try	6	Diesel oil		For Sept.
(84)	Krasnodar, Fat Combine	10	Petroleum	Krasnodar, Oil Supply	For Sept.
(85)	Tarasovka, "Caoutchouc Sovkhoz"	3	H	Rostov on the Don Oil Supply	For Sept.
(86)	Krasnodar, Azov- Black Sea Fish In- dustry	6	11	•••	For Sept.
(87)	Rostov on the Don, Fish Industry	6	*11	• • • • ·	For Sept.
(88)	Tiflis, Fish Indus- try	3	· 11		For Sept.
(89)	Krasnodar, Fish Industry	4	Gasoline		For Sept.
(90)	Rostov on the Don, Fish Industry	4	Gasoline		For Sept.
(91)	Tiflis, Fish Indus- try	2	Gasoline		For Sept.
(92)	Erevan, Grain Pro- curement	25	Gasoline		Additional in Sept.
(93)	Sulin, "Rostov-Steel"	40	Machine oil	Makhachkala	For Sept.
(94)	11	20	Viscosin e	Baku	11
(95)	Kupyansk, Sugar Factory	1	Transfor- mer oil	Krasnodar, Oil Supply	Additional
(96)	Far East Steamship Agency	44 tons	Mazut	Ufa	
(97)	Krasnoyarsk	40	Viscosine	Krasnovodsk	Om Aug. 20

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3. TEXTILE AND LEATHER SUPPLY

- (98) According to a communication of the Iranian-Soviet Transport Steamship Agency, 55000 yards of imported uniform cloth have arrived in Baku. They are to be handed over to Camp 100 of the NKVD troops in Baku.
- (99) The NK for Light Industry in Erevan did not complete the projected quantity of uniforms for the Red Army in July and August. It has to guarantee the delivery of 170,000 sets of underlinen.
- (100) The factories of the NK for Light Industry in Tiflis have fulfilled the delivery instructions for uniforms extremely unsatisfactorily. The factories have to guarantee the delivery of 60,000 sets of underlinen and 50,000 sets of summer uniforms in September.
 - (101) The Light Industry of the USSR is to deliver for the front in the third quarter:
 - 8000 square meters of Russian leather 28000 square meters of chrome leather
- (102) Krasnodar Shoe Factory is to deliver 3000 pairs of laced boots and 1500 pairs of women's shoes to the North Caucasus Front.
- (103) Saratov reports to Military Unit 03 017, Colonel Andreev, in Rostov on the Don, that the order for completion of 5000 pairs of felt boots has been carried out. 3132 pairs of felt boots were delivered up till now. 2100 pairs are in the warehouse.
- (104) Imported footwear has arrived in Astrakhan and is to be allotted to various shipping lines.
- (105) The following yearly production plan has been confirmed for Dagestan Light Industry:

For the Cotton Industry
For the Wool Industry

1160 tons of yarn, 8300 tons of fabric 250 tons of yarn, 280 tons of wool

(106) Rostov on the Don requires from Moscow the delivery of:

200 work jackets

200 special pieces of clothing

200 belly-warmers and padded hose.

(107) Tsentrosoyuz, Rostov on the Don, produced 392 pairs of felt boots, (?) pairs of stockings, and 361 pairs of gloves in July.

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- (108) Rostov-NKRF is to reserve the present stock of felt boots as well as the increase of the third quarter for the Central Reconstruction Directorate.
 - (109) Omsk-NKRF is receiving the following allocation for the third quarter:

	Total	For the Far North	For Ship Personnel
Cotton products	87000 rubles	47,000 rubles	14,000 rubles
Woolen goods	63000 rubles	42,000 rubles	13,000 rubles
Silk goods	51000 rubles	30,000 rubles	12,000 rubles
Household soap	16.5 tons	12 tons	2.3 tons
Felt boots	560 pairs	270 pairs	

AUTHORIZATIONS

	Consignee	Quantity	Type	Consignor	Remarks
(110)	Kostroma .''Znamya	450 tons	Cotton	Kazan', Flax Combine	Delivery
	Truda" Works				in Sept.
(111)	Irkutsk, Lena Steam-	10 tons	Flax	Novosibirsk	For the
	ship Agency			-	3rd quarter
(112)	Omsk-NKRF	70	Hemp	Omsk, Flax Trust	
(113)	Upper-Irtysh Steam-	10	Hemp	Omsk -	
	ship Agency	20	Tow	Omsk	
(114)	Rostov on the Don	140,000 meters		NK for Textiles	For stu-
			cloth	of the Soviet Union and	dents
				NK for Light Industry	
				of the Soviet Union	
(115)	Khabarovsk, Water	1500 tons	Cloth	Lower Amur Steam-	• • • ·
	Transport Base		fabric	ship Agency	
(116)	Molotov-NKRF	150	Cloth		for 3rd
					quarter
*		250	Woolen		11
		•	fabric	880	11
***		300	Sailcloth		. "
(117)	Khabarovsk Water	100	Alpaca	Lower Amur Steamship	
	Transport Base		clothes	Agency	
(118)	Voroshilovgrad,	1000 sets	Upper	Baku, Employment	
	Oblast' Employ-	1500	garments	Bureau	
/11 m)	ment Bureau	1500	Body linen		
(119)	Rostov on the Don	9000 pairs	St ockings	NK for Textiles and	For stu-
				NK for Light Indus-	dents
(120)	70 -4 Al - 70	2500	C+ .1 *	try of the Soviet Union	D-11.
(120)	Rostov on the Don,	2500	Stockings	Rostov on the Don, Light	Delivery
(121)	Children's Home	▲ 0		Industry Goods Sales	in Sept.
(121)	Voroshilovgrad Oblas	1500 sets	Bed linen	Pales Employment Bunes	
	Employemnt Bureau	750 pieces	Coverlets	Baku, Employment Bures	u
(122)	Angono Staamahin	1.5 tons		Novosibirsk, Steam-	Delivery in
(122)	Angara Steamship Agency	1.5 tons	Rope	ship Agency Supply	3rd quarter
(122)	0 ,	2	Dama	surb veency pubbit	ii daarter
(123)	Enisej Steamship	2	Rope		
(124)	Agency Irtysh Waterway	3	Twine	Omsk-NKRF	
(124)	Directorate	,	I WILL	OHISK-HARK	
(125)	Lower Irtysh Steam-	2	Twine	71	
(125)		.	T ATTIC		
	ship Agency				

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(126)	Omsk NKRF	560 pairs	Felt boots		For 3rd quarter
(127)	Omsk, Water Transport Base	105	Felt boots		For 3rd quarter
(128)	Krasnodar, Pro- curement Office for Animal Raw Materials	1000 pieces	Sheepskins	Krasnodar, Meat Combine	For raw leather production
(129)	Rostov on the Don, "Mikoyan" Shoe	5 tons	Russian leather	Baku, Iranian-Soviet Transport	
	Factory	40	Sole leather	. 11	- . .
(130)	Ŕostov	2400 pairs	Leather shoes	NK for Textiles and Light Industry of the Soviet Union	For student
(131)	Rostov on the Don, Children's Home	3750	Leather shoes	Rostov on the Don, Light Industry Goods Sales	Delivery in Sept.
(132)	Azov-Black Sea Power	500	Leather shoes	Rostov on the Don "Mikoyan" Shoe Fac- tory	-
(133)	Voroshilovgrad, Oblast' Employ- ment Bureau	750	Leather shoes	Baku, Employment Bureau	

4. CHEMICALS SUPPLY

- (134) The Chemical Works in Tiflis produced no carbonic acid in August because of the lack of potash.
- (135) Because of non-presentation of tank cars in the third ten-day period of August, 180 tons of sulphuric acid were stored in the Chemical Works in Alaverdy on 1 September.
- (136) The Leningrad Sutlery is to send immediately 165 carbonic acid carboys to the Pokrovska Chemical Plant (Petrovskaya Station of the Yaroslavl Railroad Line). Upon receipt of the carboys, the plant will immediately deliver carbonic acid.

The following requisitions and authorizations were noted:

I. REQUISITIONS

(137)	Consignee Tiflis, Georgian	Quantity 15 tons	$\frac{\text{Type}}{\text{Chlorine}}$	Consignor	Remarks For third quarter
, ,	State Plan	10	Sulphur		For third quarter
		20	Sulphuric		_
			acid		For third quarter
		15	Carbide	G = 6	For third quarter

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Type

Consignor

Remarks

Quantity

Consignee

(138)	Ordzhonikidze,	1.5 tons	Household	Moscow, Chief Di-	For 3rd					
	Sutlery		soap	rectorate for Perfume	quarter					
			•		quarter					
II. AUTHORIZATIONS										
	Consignee	Ovantitu	The a	Cara						
(139)	Aralsk, NKRF	Quantity 500 cu. m.	Туре	Consignor	Remarks					
(140)	Chardzhou, NKRF	1000 cu. m.	Oxygen	Tashkent Oxygen Works	Sept. Dec 43					
(141)	Krasnodar, Leather	l tank car	Oxygen		11					
(/	Factory	I talk car	Sulphuric acid	Voskresensk, Chemi- cal Combine						
(142)	Ordzhonikidze,	1	acid II	cai Combine						
\,	Leather Factory	•			· -					
(143)	Rostov, Azov-	l carload	Vitriol	Factory 603	T G .					
• ,	Black Sea Power	- carroau	V101101	Factory 603	In Sept.					
(144)	Armavir, Glass	5	Sulphite							
•	Factory	-	Burpine							
(145)	Gorkij, River Fleet	10 tons	Sulphite	Balakhninsk, Chemi-	T 2 J					
	Supply	- 0 - 0 - 10 - 10	lye	cal Works	In 3rd					
(146)	Kujbyshev, NKRF	l	-,0	ii	quarter					
(147)	Molotov, NKRF	0.8	11		11					
(148)	NK for Ammuni-	60	Carbide	Kirovakan, Chemical	For produc-					
	tion			Works	tion of am-					
		•			munition for					
					the front					
(149)	Kirovabad, Azer-	12	Caustic	"Sovpren" Works	In Sept.					
	bajdzhan Fat Com-		soda	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	in ocpt.					
	bine									
(150)	Rostov, Fat Com-	8		Stalingrad, CD for	In Sept.					
	bine			Chemical Sales	and Dopt.					
(151)	Rostov, Combine	4	Caustic	Stalingrad, CD for	In Sept.					
	for Technical Fats		soda	Chemical Sales						
(152)	Rostov, Azov-	l tank car	11	Chemical Plant #91	In Sept.					
	Black Sea Power			·•						
(153)	Baku, Azerbajdz-	1	Potash	Armavir, Plant #1						
	han Technical Oil									
43.00.45	Supply									
(154)	Rostov	3	Ammonia		In 4th					
					quarter for					
					seweriza-					
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(155)	Chernorechensk,	196 carboys	Ammonia	Gorkij						
	NKRF Plant (?)									
				•						

5. PRODUCTION

- (156) 15000 rubles are provided for construction in Baturino for the third quarter.
- (157) The NKRF-Plant in Kujbyshev is to consider first of all work on the ships of the "Volgatanker".
- (158) Because of non-termination of the construction projects, a production program of only 5000 boxes of matches is to be confirmed for the Match Factory in Kirovabad for the fourth quarter.

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- (159) Plant #92 of the NK for the Weapons Industry in Gorkij is not fulfillin g the projected plans.
 - (160) The production of Plant #112 includes much waste.
- (161) There is danger that the manganese mines in Chiaturi will have to shut down for lack of blasting material.
 - (162) The former oil factory "Krapotkin" in Ejsk is being rebuilt.
- (163) An additional 5510 construction workers are arriving for reconstruction work on the railroad enterprises in Krasnodar. An additional allotment of 87 tons of meal, 8 tons of groats, 12 tons of fish, 3 tons of fats, and 3 tons of sugar is necessary to supply these people in September.
 - (164) In Krasnodar reconstruction work is being held up for lack of nails.
- (165) Azov-Black Sea Power requests an additional 50 tons of railroad machinery and 1000 wooden shovels for Krasnyj Sulin in September.
- (166) Rostov-Coal in Shakhty needs for reconstruction of dwelling houses in September and October 5 carloads of window glass, each month; 5 carloads of slate, each month; 100 carloads of lumber, each month; and 10 tons of nails, each month.
- (167) Leather Factory #1 and the Harness Factory in Taganrog are in working condition. Also all boilers, with the exception of one, are ready for use. The storage buildings of the Leather Combine are all destroyed.
- (168) Rostov on the Don received only 5000 square meters of leather from the "Lenin" Leather Factory, instead of 25000. It proposes an additional allotment from the Leather Factory in Taganrog.
- (169) Krasnoyarsk, Irkutsk, Ulan-Ude, Blagoveshchensk, Khabarovsk, and Yakutsk are to report to Moscow whether damaged electric motors are on hand. These motors are to be delivered to "Power-Motor Trust".
- (170) Novosibirsk-NKRF has a steam boiler with 110 square meters of heating surface and has to ship the whole contrivance to the shipyard in Baturino.
 - (171) The Lower Volga Steamship Agency will receive 10 imported motors.
- (172) In Krasnodar the delivery of barrels to the Canning Industry is taking an unsatisfactory course. Instead of barrels for 3700 tons, barrels for only 500 tons were delivered.

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(173) Newly noted plants:

Plant Location Remarks Plant #17 Gorkij Plant #402 Gorkij Freight-Car Repair Plant Kizil-Arvat Plant "October" Krasnodar Plant #64 Kujbyshev Plant #693 Kujbyshev Plant Debryanskij Makhachkala Under the NK for Shipbuilding Plant #735 Moscow, Omsk Oblast' a plant Novotulsk Produces cast iron Radiator Factory Rostov on the Don Repair Plant #5 Rostov on the Don Under the NK for the Tan k Industry, repair of tanks (?) Shoe Factory Mikoyan Rostov on the Don Plant Krasnyj-Dvigatel' Samarkand Plant #264 Stalingrad Plant #822 Tashkent Plant #765 Tomsk

6. TRANSPORT SITUATION

- (174) The work of "Volgatanker" in Kamust'e and Molotov is proceeding extremely satisfactorily. It is taken for granted that the plan for September will be completely fulfilled.
- (175) Astrakhan-NKRF has taken up the organization of oil transport in a clumsy manner. On account of this, longer interruptions have arisen in the dispatch of oil tankers.
- (176) For the 1944 shipping season, 100,000 tons of salt must be reloaded from the railroad on to ships in Semipalatinsk.
- (177) Uralsk-NKRF reports the following statement of work for August: according to plan, 350,100 tons had to be moved, but 28,234 tons more were moved, so that the plan has been overfulfilled by 9.1%.
- (178) In September, Kujbyshev-NKRF must accomplish transportation of 401, 900 tons (= 242, 300, 000 ton/kilometers). Of this, ships will carry 97, 900 tons (= 48, 800, 000 ton/kilometers) of grain for bread and 5,600 tons (=4,700,000 ton/kilometers) of timber.
 - (179) Ulyanovsk-NKRF has moved 150 tons of fish in September.
- (180) In the second ten-day period of September Kujbyshev must undertake a greater transport of chalk, and there must be moved:

500 tons of chalk to Galevo 300 tons of chalk to Kolomna 200 tons of chalk to Molotov

or factories of the NK for the Weapons Industry.

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- (181) Novosibirsk did not fulfill the transportation plan in the first ten days of September by 19% according to tonnage output, by 11% when converted to ton/ki lometers. Therefore,

 Novosibirsk must make up the arrears in the second ten days of September. There are 120,000 tons (= 30,000,000 ton/kilometers) to be moved.
- (182) In Rostov on the Don the transportation plans were not sufficiently fulfilled in the first days of September.
- (183) Semipalatinsk-NKRF has to accomplish the beyond-plan transportation of 1200 tons of salt to various steamship agencies in September.
- (184) From a message to Shakhty, Chief Directorate for Coal Supply, it appears that the following daily supply of freight cars is confirmed for the transportation of coal in September:

Voroshilov Railroad to furnish
Southeast Railroad to furnish
North Donets Railroad to furnish
20 cars

(185) Because of non-supply of freight cars, Baku, Food Industry, can not transport 25 carloads of smoked meats to Kharkov and 30 carloads of canned goods to Moscow.

7. MISCELLANEOUS

- (186) New curricula are being introduced into the technical schools of the NKRF.

 Political Economy and Modern History are no longer retained in the new curricula. 150 hours are planned for the History of the Peoples of the USSR.
- (187) The Georgian hospitals are overcrowded and cannot admit any more. The opening of new hospitals is planned in Makharadze (300 beds), Stalinin (300 beds), Kajgurtzhan (400 beds), and Tiflis (600 beds).
- (188) The return of evacuated cattle to the liberated oblasti over the northern part of Stalingrad Rajon is taking place over the Don bridges at Veshenskaya and Kazanskaya. In addition there are Don bridges at Tsymlyanskaya, Konstantinovskaya, Babaevskaya, and Aksajskaya, and a ferry at Razdorskaya, 4 fords over the Donets as well as fords over the Sal and Manych Rivers.

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